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8 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
9 NORTHERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA

10 KIA C. CHEVALIER,  
11 Plaintiff(s),

12 v.

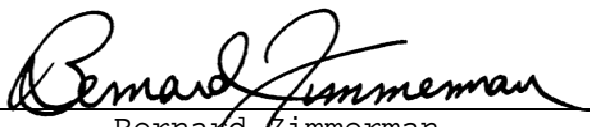
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14 SUTTER HOTEL, et al.,  
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17 Defendant(s).

No. C07-0401 MMC (BZ)

ORDER GRANTING REQUEST TO  
EXCUSE PERSONAL ATTENDANCE AT  
SETTLEMENT CONFERENCE

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19 Before the court is defendant's request to excuse the  
20 personal attendance of its insurance company representative  
21 located in Philadelphia, dated December 17, 2007. The request  
22 was served upon the plaintiff, who has not objected.  
23 Accordingly, the request is **GRANTED**. The representative shall  
24 be available to participate by telephone beginning at 9:00 a.m.  
25 on February 1, 2008.

26 Dated: January 3, 2008

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28 Bernard Zimmerman  
United States Magistrate Judge